

WABASH COUNTY

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County Data

- Adult Smoking Rate – 30%
- Number of Adult Smokers – 7,915
- Smoking During Pregnancy – 29.5%
- Number of Smoking-Affected Births – 124
- Lung Cancer Incidence (2003-2007) – 60.1 per 100,000
- Lung Cancer Mortality (2003-2007) – 48.4 per 100,000

- Total Population – 34,960

- Ages 0-4 – 2,073
- Ages 5-17 – 6,504
- Ages 18-24 – 3,612
- Ages 25 and older – 22,771

- African American – 142
- White – 34,045
- Hispanic – 414

Tobacco Free Policies

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities:

- Otis R. Bowen Center for Human Services
- Peabody Healthcare
- Timbercrest Senior Living and Health
- Wabash County Hospital

Public School Districts:

- MSD Wabash County Schools
- Manchester Community Schools
- Wabash City Schools

Government Buildings:

County

- Courthouse
- Jail
- Garage

City

- Wabash- City Fire
- Wabash- City Police
- Wabash- City Sewage
- Wabash- City Hall

Community-based Tobacco Control Coalition

- AACTION
- American Cancer
- American Red Cross of Wabash County
- AL-FE Heat Treating
- Eugenia's
- Family Dentistry of Wabash/ Robert B. Beckett Jr.
- Family Physicians Associated
- Friermood Tires and Alignment
- Heartland Obstetrics and Gynecology
- Honewell Center
- Honeywell Golf Club House
- Lagro Face
- Manchester Community Schools
- Metropolitan School District of Wabash County
- Miami Wabash Paper
- North Manchester News Journal
- Peabody Retirement Community
- Pettit Printing
- Rolling Meadows Health and Rehab
- Safe Kids=Happy Families
- Social Service Agency Council
- The Paper of Wabash
- Wabash City Schools
- Wabash County Council on Aging
- Wabash County Health Board
- Wabash County Hospital Wabash Ministerial Association
- Wabash County Sheriff's Department/ Sheriff Leroy Stricker
- Wabash MPI
- Wabash Street Level Ministries
- YMCA

Community Indicators

- Increase the proportion of Indiana school districts that support and implement a comprehensive school strategy against tobacco use.
- Extent of community activism among youth to support community change that includes youth involved in the VOICE movement.
- Proportion of tobacco free campus policies for hospitals, health care centers, and clinics.
- Proportion of smoke free policies for worksites, including restaurants and bars.
- Extent of promotion of the Indiana Tobacco Quitline
- Proportion of health care providers and health care systems that have fully implemented the Public Health Service guidelines for cessation
- Proportion of worksites that provide employer-sponsored cessation support for employees who use tobacco.
- Extent of participation by partners within the broad-based coalition
- Extent of participation by groups representing disparately affected (i.e. hard to reach) populations in the community.

Funding

- Funding for July 2009- June 2011: \$96,000